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### AMENDMENT / RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL

Applicant : Nicolau et al.  
 App. No : 10/689,738  
 Filed : October 22, 2003  
 For : MICRO/NANO-STRUCTURES  
 FACRICATED BY LASER  
 ABLATION FOR MICRO-ARRAY  
 APPLICATIONS  
 Examiner : Lum, L.  
 Art Unit : 1641

#### CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

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April 14, 2005

(Date)

Jennifer A. Haynes, Ph.D., Reg. No. 48,968

#### Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents  
 P.O. Box 1450  
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing in the above-identified application are the following enclosures:

- (X) Amendment in 17 pages.
- (X) Declaration Under *In Re Katz* in 2 pages

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

FEE CALCULATION					
FEE TYPE		FEE CODE	CALCULATION	TOTAL	
Excess Claims > 20	53 - 54 = 0	1202 (\$50)	0 x 50 =	\$0	
Independent > 3	2 - 3 = 0	1201 (\$200)	0 x 200 =	\$0	
Multiple Claim	1.16(j)	1203 (\$360)		\$0	
1 Month Extension	1.17(a)(1)	1251 (\$120)		\$120	
2 Month Extension	1.17(a)(2)	1252 (\$450)		\$0	
3 Month Extension	1.17(a)(3)	1253 (\$1,020)		\$0	
TOTAL FEE DUE				\$120	

(X) An extension of time is hereby requested by payment of the appropriate fee indicated above.

(X) A check in the amount of \$120 is enclosed.

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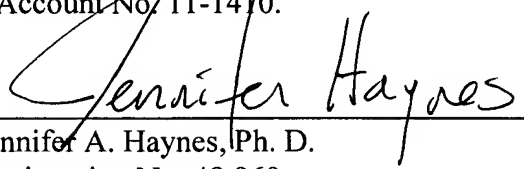
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- (X) Return prepaid postcard.
- (X) Please charge any additional fees, including any fees for additional extension of time, or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 11-1410.

  
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